



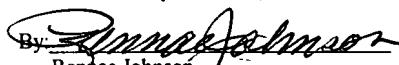
SERIAL NO. 10/798,794

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	HARTLEY et al.	Examiner:	Morales, J.
Serial No.:	10/798,794	Group Art Unit:	3766
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CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.8: The undersigned hereby certifies that this Transmittal Letter and the papers, as described herein, are being deposited in the United States Postal Service, as first class mail, in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on September 11, 2007.

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RESPONSE SUBMITTED CONCURRENTLY WITH  
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed May 11, 2007, Applicants file concurrently a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. §1.114.

Claims 1-36 remain pending in the application. Claims 1, 16-19, 20-22, and 31 have been amended. No claims have been added or canceled. The Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and allowance of all pending claims.

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS begin on page 8 of this paper.